

Processed Eggs: Weekly National Egg Products (Fri) Agricultural Marketing Service, Poultry Market News & Analysis

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F.O.B. Shipper Dock Basis; Wholesale prices; cents per pound unless otherwise noted.

LIQUID EGGS

Whole egg prices are lower with whites higher and yolk steady to higher. Trade senimtent continues steady with a firm undertone on all liquid products. Demand is mostly moderate with improved interest noted on liquid whites. The majority of liquid movement centers around contractual agreements as breakers are unwilling to put additional spot loads of liquid into the market place. Offerings are moderate for all liquid products. Market activity is moderate.

Non-pasteurized in trucklots; current trading for delivery within 14 days.

Class	Current Week			Last Week			Oct Averages	
	Range	Loads	Wtd Avg	Range	Loads	Wtd Avg	Loads	Wtd Avg
Whole	64.50 ⁻ 66.00	16	65.28	65.50 - 70.00	11	66.68	55	65.82
Whites	56.50 ⁻ 62.00	8	59.69	54.00 - 60.00	7	58.00	34	57.02
Yolk	82.00 - 85.00	7	83.14	82.00 - 83.00	3	82.33	26	81.58

FROZEN EGGS

Frozen whole egg and salted yolk prices are steady with whites steady to higher and sugared yolk higher. Trade sentiment continues steady with a firm undertone. Demand is light to mostly moderate on light to instances moderate offerings. Most sellers continue to ask higher prices on future frozen sales with limited success. Supplies are light to moderate. Market activity is slow to moderate.

Packed in 30-pound containers; less-than-trucklot reflects a minimum volume of 25 containers.

TRUCKLOT	Current Week		Last	Oct Averages			
	Range	Mostly	Range	Mostly	This Month	Last Month	
	Whole	80.50 - 89.00	85.00 87.00	80.50 - 89.00	86.00 89.00	84.91	84.50
	Whites	75.00 - 79.00	76.00 - 77.00	72.00 - 79.00	74.00 - 77.00	75.88	74.25
Suga	ar Yolk ^{1/}	105.00 ⁻ 108.00		104.00 - 107.00	105.00 - 106.00	105.88	105.38
Sa	ılt Yolk 1/	101.00 - 104.00	102.00 - 103.00	101.00 - 104.00	102.00 - 103.00	102.75	102.88

LESS-THAN Current Week		Last V	Oct Averages			
TRUCKLOT	Range	Mostly	Range	Mostly	This Month	Last Month
Whole	89.00		89.00	_	88.75	87.25
White	76.00 ⁻ 78.00		76.00		76.00	75.50
Sugar Yolk 1/	108.00		108.00 - 109.00		108.00	106.38
Salt Yolk 1/	108.00		108.00 - 109.00		108.00	106.38

^{1/} Minimum 43% solids.

DRIED EGGS

Prices of dried egg products are higher on whole, steady to higher on yolk, steady on albumen and lower on blends. The undertone is steady to firm. Demand is light to moderate. New sales are limited as first quarter inquires increased. Offerings are light to moderate. Supplies are mostly light to moderate. Market activity is slow to moderate.

Prices in dollars per pound; in containers; includes trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.

Class	Current Week		Last	Oct Averages		
	Range	Mostly	Range	Mostly	This Month	Last Month
Whole	2.81 ⁻ 3.45	2.95 - 3.00	2.70 · 3.10	2.95 - 3.00	3.03	2.80
Yolk	2.10 · 2.38	2.25 - 2.30	2.10 · 2.35	2.20 - 2.30	2.23	2.23
Albumen 2/	4.80 - 5.30	5.10 ⁻ 5.15	4.80 - 5.30	5.00 - 5.05	5.02	4.89
Blends 3/	2.38 - 2.90		2.40 ⁻ 2.95	2.40 - 2.45	2.58	2.43

^{2/} Spray Dried; 3/ Whole plus sweetener.

Source: USDA AMS Poultry Market News & Analysis; www.ams.usda.gov/pymnhomepage